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COMMONWEALTH OF VIRGINIA

STATE CORPORATION COMMISSION

AT RICHMOND, July 25, 2001

APPLICATION OF

GLOBAL TELECOM BROKERS OF VIRGINIA, INC. CASE NO. PUC010148

For certificates of public
convenience and necessity to
provide local exchange and
interexchange telecommunications
services

ORDER FOR NOTICE AND COMMENT

On July 2, 2001, Global Telecom Brokers of Virginia, Inc. ("Global" or "Applicant"), filed an application for certificates of public convenience and necessity ("certificates") with the State Corporation Commission ("Commission") to provide local exchange and interexchange telecommunications services throughout the Commonwealth of Virginia. The Applicant also requested authority to price its interexchange telecommunications services on a competitive basis pursuant to § 56-481.1 of the Code of Virginia.

NOW UPON CONSIDERATION of the application, the Commission is of the opinion and finds that Global's application should be docketed; that the Applicant should give notice to the public of its application; that interested Parties should have an opportunity to comment and request a hearing on Global's application; and that the Commission Staff should conduct an

investigation into the reasonableness of the application and present its findings in a Staff Report.

Accordingly, IT IS ORDERED THAT:

(1) This case is docketed and assigned Case No. PUC010148.

(2) On or before August 8, 2001, the Applicant shall complete publication of the following notice to be published on one (1) occasion as classified advertising in newspapers having general circulation throughout the Applicant's proposed service territory:

NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC OF AN APPLICATION BY
GLOBAL TELECOM BROKERS OF VIRGINIA, INC.,
FOR CERTIFICATES OF PUBLIC CONVENIENCE AND
NECESSITY TO PROVIDE LOCAL EXCHANGE AND
INTEREXCHANGE TELECOMMUNICATIONS SERVICES
THROUGHOUT THE COMMONWEALTH OF VIRGINIA
CASE NO. PUC010148

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Copies of the application are available for public inspection between the hours of 8:15 a.m. and 5:00 p.m., Monday through Friday, in the Commission's Document Control Center located on the first floor of the Tyler Building, 1300 East Main Street, Richmond, Virginia, or can be ordered from

Global's counsel, Eric M. Page, Esquire,
LeClair Ryan, Innsbrook Corporate Center,
201 Dominion Boulevard, Suite 200, Glen
Allen, Virginia 23060.

Any person desiring to comment on
Global's application for certificates to
provide local exchange and interexchange
telecommunications services may do so by
directing such comments in writing on or
before August 27, 2001, to the Clerk of the
Commission at the address set out below.

Any person may request a hearing on
Global's application by filing an original
and fifteen (15) copies of its request for
hearing on or before August 27, 2001, with
the Clerk of the Commission at the address
set out below. Requests for hearing must
state with specificity why a hearing should
be conducted.

All written communications to the
Commission concerning Global's application
should be directed to Joel H. Peck, Clerk of
the State Corporation Commission, c/o
Document Control Center, P.O. Box 2118,
Richmond, Virginia 23218, and must refer to
Case No. PUC010148.

GLOBAL TELECOM BROKERS OF VIRGINIA, INC.

(3) On or before August 8, 2001, Applicant shall provide a
copy of the notice contained in ordering paragraph two (2) to
each local exchange telephone carrier certificated in Virginia
and each interexchange carrier certificated in Virginia by
personal delivery or first-class mail, postage prepaid, to the
customary place of business. Lists of all current local
exchange and interexchange carriers in Virginia are attached to
this Order as Appendices A and B, respectively.

(4) Any person desiring to comment in writing on Global's application for a certificate to provide local exchange and interexchange telecommunications services may do so by directing such comments on or before August 27, 2001, to the Clerk of the Commission at the address set forth below. Comments must refer to Case No. PUC010148.

(5) On or before August 27, 2001, any person wishing to request a hearing on Global's application for certificates to provide local exchange and interexchange telecommunications services shall file an original and fifteen (15) copies of its request for hearing in writing with Joel H. Peck, Clerk of the State Corporation Commission, c/o Document Control Center, P.O. Box 2118, Richmond, Virginia 23218. Written requests for hearing shall refer to Case No. PUC010148 and shall state the following: (i) a precise statement of the interest of the filing Party; (ii) a statement of the specific action sought to the extent then known; (iii) a statement of the legal basis for such action; and (iv) a precise statement why a hearing should be conducted in the matter. Copies shall also be served on the applicant.

(6) On or before September 10, 2001, the Applicant shall file with the Commission proof of notice and proof of service as ordered herein.

(7) The Commission Staff shall analyze the reasonableness of Global's application and present its findings in a Staff Report to be filed on or before September 19, 2001.

(8) On or before September 26, 2001, the Applicant shall file with the Clerk of the Commission an original and fifteen (15) copies of any testimony in rebuttal to the Staff Report or parties' objections and requests for hearing. A copy of the rebuttal testimony shall be delivered to Staff and the other parties by overnight delivery.

(9) The Applicant shall respond to written interrogatories or data requests within seven (7) days after the receipt of the same. Parties shall provide to the Applicant, other additional parties, and Staff any workpapers or documents used in preparation of their requests for hearing, promptly upon request. Except as so modified, discovery shall be in accordance with Part IV of the Rules.